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In re Patent Application of:
Takashi NOZAKI et al.

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For: GAMING MACHINE

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**PETITION TO EXTEND TIME FOR
RESPONSE TO WITHIN THE SECOND EXTENDED MONTH**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, hereby petition to extend time for filing a response to Notice to file Missing Parts dated April 26, 2004, for four months to within the second extended month.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$420.00 to Deposit Account 18-0013 to cover the petition fee for other than a small entity for a four-month extension. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

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Respectfully submitted,

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